

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 2-3 as indicated among the following complete set of pending claims:

Claim 1. (Previously Canceled)

Claim 2. (Currently amended) An automatic bag opener and dispenser, comprising:

an enclosure having a front face, a top, a bottom, sides, and a back surrounding an interior of the enclosure;

[[at least one of]]an upper bag hanger comprising a pair of forwardly extending arms supported on an upper portion of the front face and a lower bag hanger supported on [[one of an upper or]]a lower portion of [[a]]the front face of the enclosure respectively;

a first opening in the front face for passage of blowing air out of the enclosure;

at least one second opening in the enclosure for passage of air drawn into the enclosure;

a blower unit supported on the interior of the enclosure and configured to draw air from the at least one second opening and to force air from the first opening on the front face;

an airflow outlet guide on the front face in superposed relation to the first opening, the airflow outlet having a first guide wall substantially parallel to the front face mounted on the front face and configured to direct the blowing air at a bag opening; and

a motion sensor mounted on [[an exterior]] the top of the enclosure and operably connected to the blower unit to automatically turn on the blower unit when motion of a user is sensed by the motion sensor when the user approaches the bag opener and dispenser.

Claim 3. (Currently amended) An automatic bag opener and dispenser, comprising:

an enclosure having a front face, a top, a bottom, sides, and a back surrounding an interior of the enclosure;

an upper bag hanger comprising a pair of forwardly extending arms supported on an upper portion of the front face and a lower bag hanger supported on ~~[[an upper and]]~~a lower portion of ~~[[a]]~~the front face of the enclosure respectively;

a first opening in the front face for passage of blowing air out of the enclosure;

at least one second opening in the enclosure for passage of air drawn into the enclosure;

a blower unit supported on the interior of the enclosure and configured to draw air from the at least one second opening and to force air from the first opening on the front face; and

an airflow outlet guide on the front face in superposed relation to the first opening, the airflow outlet having a first guide wall substantially parallel to the front face, the outlet guide being mounted on the front face and configured to direct the blowing air at a bag opening; and

an air flow guide mounted on the front face and configured to direct the blowing air at a front bag opening, wherein the air flow guide has a second guide wall fixedly supported at an acute angle on the front face and extending away from the airflow outlet and toward a plane of the first guide wall.